



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5259

LCO No. 745

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by:

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**AN ACT CONCERNING REFUNDS OF PREPAID PREMIUM
PAYMENTS MADE BY SENIORS TO HEALTH INSURANCE
PROVIDERS FOR MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT PLANS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require that a health
- 2 insurance provider shall refund any prepaid premium payments made
- 3 by a senior for coverage under a Medicare supplement plan who then
- 4 chooses to cancel his or her policy prior to the expiration of the
- 5 coverage period.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect seniors who choose to prepay their Medicare supplement plan premiums by making it affordable for such seniors to switch providers without losing their prepaid premiums.